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Mr. Duckett

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FI/D Request to Coordinate on [REDACTED] Cables

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1. [REDACTED] recently mentioned to me that FI/D has requested that they be included in the coordination for all outgoing cables on [REDACTED] and, likewise, they wish to receive all copies of traffic relating to [REDACTED] mentioned that he was being pressed by FI/D for a reply and I advised him to say that he had passed this request to me for action. A policy decision by you seems involved here, and I would like to have the opportunity to discuss the matter more fully with you.

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2. [REDACTED] is inclined to feel that FI/D has no real stake or jurisdiction in [REDACTED] but he admits he is not fully aware of FI/D's charter in this field. From what I have learned in discussions with ORD it would appear that FI/D contributes nothing to the [REDACTED] program and a requirement to coordinate with them would just be a bureaucratic and time consuming procedure.

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3. FI/D has called [REDACTED] today to ask if the request is under consideration. Bill promised to call me and get a determination of the status of this request. If I could see you on Monday it would be helpful to resolve this.

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4. This problem is related to the Memo which George Miller sent to you on 11 August on FI/D relationships. I realize I don't have all the background on this whole situation but it appears to me that FI/D is getting a big foot in the door based on a clandestine services instruction [REDACTED] issued on 5 April 1963 before DDS&T came into being. Today I retrieved George Miller's Memo to review the FI/D Notice which is attached to it. I am returning it to you with this note.

Attachment

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